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Goddard Space Flight Center Employee Convicted

On May 8, 2000, Karen Greene, a NASA employee at Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC), appeared for trial before Magistrate Thomas Di Girolama in the U.S. District Court, Southern District of Maryland, Hyattsville, Maryland and was found guilty of one count of 18 U.S.C. Section 113(a)(4), Assault within Maritime and Territorial Jurisdiction. Greene's sentencing is scheduled for July 2000.

This investigation was predicated on information received from GSFC Security. On October 18, 1999, Greene assaulted another NASA employee in the Physical Fitness Center at GFSC. A criminal complaint was filed by Officer Christopher Lenh, United States Park Police.

The investigation was conducted by Special Agents from the NASA Office of Inspector General and the United States Park Police. The prosecution was handled by Assistant United States Attorney Hollis Wiesman, Southern District of Maryland, 301-344-4029.

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